

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

WALTER R. BURNLEY,

Petitioner-Appellant,

vs.

Case No. 16-cv-138

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent-Appellee.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Walter Burnley, by counsel, hereby gives notice pursuant to Fed. R. App. P. 3(c) & 4(a)(1)(B) that he appeals the order denying his petition under 28 U.S.C. § 2255, which was imposed on June 14, 2016, in the United States District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin, the Honorable Barbara B. Crabb presiding. Mr. Burnley takes this appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit.

The district court issued a certificate of appealability pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2253 & Fed. R. App. P. 22(b), authorizing this appeal, in the same order denying the § 2255 petition.

With this notice of appeal, Mr. Burnley also files the docketing statement required by Cir. Rule 3 (7th Cir.), combined with a Cir. Rule 26.1 disclosure statement. Mr. Burnley also files a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* on appeal.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin this 2nd day of August, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,
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